

HOUSE No. 850

By Mr. Fagan of Taunton, petition of James H. Fagan relative to the
admittance of attorneys to court facilities. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ADMITTANCE OF ATTORNEYS TO COURT FACILITIES.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 The second paragraph of section 17 of chapter 211B of the
- 2 General Laws, as appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby
- 3 amended by inserting after the first sentence the following sen-
- 4 tence:— Said chief justice for administration and management
- 5 shall establish a policy whereby attorneys displaying a valid bar
- 6 registration certificate shall be admitted to any court facility and
- 7 shall not be subject to a search of their persons or belongings.